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MEMORANDUM FOR

The Honorable Allen W. Dulles Director Central Intelligence Agency

The President indicated that he would fully approve an independent status for Puerto Rico.

This memorandum is addressed to you in order to ask your advice and comments as to the possibilities affecting such a status. It would be appreciated if you could submit to us any information in your possession which would help us in discussing this matter.

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Bernard M. Shanley Special Counsel to the President

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